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The New School by lily

It has been a long time for all the pupils in Holy Rosary who have been waiting for the new school and it's finally here! I think its great how we have a new school. We get comfortable chairs, big classrooms, computers, and a fresh start! But there is much more. How cool is that? Anyway, how did you feel on the day that we moved in? I felt really sad that we were leaving the old school but I didn't really care at the same time. I was so hyper and excited. I loved assembly because Orla and I got to sing our song for the new school and Kyle's song was great too so well done! I was really sad on Friday as well though but my class had a party and so did all the other classes. It was so fun! Anyway, back to assembly. I loved the idea of making a time capsule. It will be awesome for all the future pupils to look at things from the past. But sadly assembly was



over so all the classes went back to their classrooms to say their last goodbyes. I was so energetic and I felt happy go lucky! Then we finally walked up to the new school and my jaw went wide open. It was almost the size of the titanic! I waved my blue and white flag in the air with joy and so did everyone else in my class. We had to listen to all the speeches and the priest praying and my legs got tired after a while but that was when Mr Carthy called out all the classes from 1st to 6th class to walk into the new school. I waited and waited very patently and around 10 minutes later, MY CLASS WENT IN!!!! We walked upstairs, walked to our classrooms, sat down in our seats and found Holy Rosary pencils and lollypops on our desks. It was one of the best days EVER! All we did was talk, watch a movie and relaxed. Thank you Mr Cannon for making this possible!

Editorial Comment

Jokes

What did the
traffic light
say to the
car ?

Don't look I'm
changing

Whats black
and white but
read all over ?

A newspaper !

What did the
sea say to the
beach ?

Nothing it just
waved!

Why did the
hand cross
the road ?

To get to the
second hand
shop!

Why did the
cow cross the
road ?

To get to the
moovies !!

!!LOL!!



Hi and welcome to the Christmas edition of the Pupils Post ,also the first from our new school. Hope you have all settled in to our brilliant new building and haven't got lost yet.

In this issue we have got facts about Christmas , a reminder about the match in Croke Park against Scoil Treasa and lots more interesting stuff. Also more competitions , and our new one the teacher of the month!

Merry Christmas and a happy new year!!

This months editor— Eoin . (And all Mr McGowans class)

Facts On Saint Nicholas

By Daniel

- 1.He was born in Patara in Turkey
- 2.Saint Nicholas got is name Santa from giving toys to the poor .
3. Saint Nicholas was born in March 15 270 AD
- 4.Saint Nicholas was a priest then became a Bishop.
- 5.Saint Nicholas first word was HOHO.
- 6.Saint Nicholas had a pet dog.
- 7.Saint Nicholas was an only child.
- 8.Saint Nicholas will only come to those who are good .



Firhouse Carmel

By Ben

Firhouse Carmel is a soccer team. They are sponsored by Supervalue. Their jersey is yellow and their shorts are blue and there socks are blue. The make of our kit is Hummels . Every year Firhouse have a mini world cup from ages 6 to 11. At the end of every one we have a presentation and hand out tropheys for most improved player of the year and player of the year. Last season my team got promoted to A and we won the league and the cup . This year we are currently 5th in our league. Our manager's names are Jason Malone, Tony Byrne and Mick Byrne. On Saturday we drew 1 all against Lucan and we are through to semi

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NARROW DEFEAT

By Jamie Adam D
Adlane and Dylan

On Monday morning, the 4th of November, Holy Rosary played against Scoil Treasa in Croke Park in the Cumman na mBunscoil finals.

After defeating O'Connell's schools, Holy Rosary made history by going to Croke Park. It was the first time in 20 years that Holy Rosary made it to Croke Park with the senior boys. After we beat O'Connell's schools the Holy Rosary boys were proud of our achievement.

On Saturday morning before the game we trained behind St Anne's. We were all excited for the Monday morning. Everyone was there. On Monday morning we were all ready to go to Croke Park. The captains were Josh Dodd and Jamie O'Neill. Our goalkeeper was Gavin Bazunu and our full backs were Ben McCabe, Leon Potts and Titas. Our half backs were Adam Davis, Jack O'Neill and Aaron Kilpatrick. Our midfielders were Adlane Boulmelh and Daniel Culligan our half forwards were Dylan Boxwell, Sean O'Brien and Darragh Donagen and finally our full forwards were Rufus, Josh Dodd and Jamie O'Neill. When we got to Croke Park it was very cold we sat down and watched a match and after we went to our dressing room but the guy who took us there went to the wrong side of the stadium so we had to walk all the way to the other side. Our dressing room was on the other side of Croke Park. It was the same dressing room that Australia used the week before when they were playing Ireland in the international rules. We had an astro in our dressing room. We warmed up on the astro. It was time for the match but before we went on the pitch the teachers made a big speech and after that we walked onto the pitch we took a few pictures then we warmed up. The match kicked off and Daniel won the throw in. Early on we went a point down but we came back because of the brilliance of Josh Dodd. Scoil Treasa got a goal then straight after we kept passing and Rufus scored a magnificent goal. We got three free kicks but we scored a point out of one of them. The referee blew the whistle to end the first half. In the second half Daniel won the second throw and after that Josh got fouled and Holy Rosary got a penalty. Rufus took it but the keeper saved it then Adam Davis ran in and belted the ball into the net. Dylan fell on the keeper and he almost got flattened. The game ended and Scoil Treasa won the match by a point. We came back from Croke Park and went to the school and had an after party. We were happy and sad at the same time but we kept our heads high. Josh and Jamie cut the cake with two big knives. We got a can of 7 up, chocolate bars, roses, packet of crisps and a piece of yummy cake.



*"I Love Christmas
because I can
spend it with my
family"*

My Christmas by Alessandra

My favourite school holiday is the Christmas mid-term because we get two weeks off school, I suppose that's not the only reason I love Christmas. I love it because I can spend it with my family. Some people think its just about getting presents but its not, it's all about remembering Jesus, we all know Christmas is was Jesus's birthday. But my favourite

thing is giving presents and seeing people's reaction when they get their



presents. I also love putting up the Christmas tree and decorating it. For

Christmas we all love playing trivia over dinner. To play trivia you need a couple of cards with sentences on them like "describe an elephant with out using big, trunk, elephant or grey." And if someone guesses the answer (elephant) they would then pick another card out of the box and it would be their turn and the game would end whenever you liked!!!!!!

Interview with 3rd class by Kimiya and Isabella



Q 1. What are your names?

Ans .Our names are Mohamed, Agata and Sean.

Q 2 . What do you think about the new school?

Ans .we think it's fancy, cool, a lot bigger and the view from the windows is amazing.

Q 3. How did you feel when you walked into your classroom?

Ans. We felt really excited and the classrooms are really colourful.

Q 4. Were you expecting it to be like it is?

Ans. Yes it's perfect just the way it is.

Q 5. Do you like this school better than the old one?

Ans. We like this school better because its more colourful and it has a lift.

One direction quiz By Kimiya

Q1.Which two members live together?

[a] Liam + Niall [b] Louis + harry [c]Zayn + Liam

Q2. Which two members are single?

[a] Louis +Zayn [b]Niall + Liam [c] Niall +Harry

Q 3. Who is the youngest?

[a] Liam [b] Harry [c] Zayn

Q 4. How old is the oldest?

[a]22 [b] 21 [c] 23



Nelson Mandela

By Lily

Nelson Mandela has recently died. I loved him and he was an inspiration to us all and he made a change to the world. Without him racism will still be legal and everything would be completely different to how it is now. RIP and bless all the Mandela family. You were my no.1 inspiration and I'd like to say thank you. Here are a couple of facts about Nelson Mandela.

- He died on December 5th by a terrible sickness.
- He died at the age of 95
- He spent 27 years in prison
- His real name was Rolihlahla
- The definition of his name was trouble maker
- There was a town named after him in Cape Town
- His eyes were blue. Only 10% of coloured people have blue eyes so its very rare.



Facts On Westlife

1. Westlife's colour is silver
2. The boys all have lucky socks for their performance.
3. All the boys are from Sligo except for Nicky Byrne.
4. Westlife were a band for 14 years and they stopped in 2012.
5. They had 5 members but now they only have 4.



Fill in the words By Kellie

1. Rudolph the _____ nosed reindeer, had a very _____ nose.
2. Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the _____
3. We wish you a Merry Christmas and a _____ new year.
4. All I want for _____ is you.
5. This _____ I'll give it to someone special
6. Santa Claus is coming to _____.

Nepalese Milkshake

Preparation

- 1.Banana or other fruits but the best is the banana
- 2.Suger
- 3.Ice (optional)
- 4.Water
- 5.Milk

Ingredients

- 1.Chop the banana's
- 2.Put it in the blender and poor the milk in
- 3.Put a spoonful of suger twice
- 4.Now blend it and when its done poor water a tiny bit then blend it again
- 5.There you go you have a wonderful Nepalese milkshake :D



P L I S B L D X R B S D
R W L H F M A H Y N B G
E C M Y Q I Y M O M L Z
S O Z C R T U I V N K D
E C H R I S T M A S L N
N S T W E A H S V L K Y
T N J R R I N G A R A A
T O N O E O N B I N J T
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A E A M R M S P E A L A
D N A E S U A L C E X S
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BALL
CHRISTMAS
CLAUSE
DECORATIONS
HOLLY
PRESENT
REINDEER
SANTA
SLEIGH
SNOW
SNOWMAN

Danger Sleigh By Ryan

Once upon a time in the South Pole Santa and his elves were making toys for the kids and they have been having bad luck so they are way behind schedule. It was 9pm and they have 914 kids getting their presents already, and need 86 kids to get what they need. Suddenly the machines fell apart! "Ho, ho, ho what's going on" said Santa. "The machines aren't working sir" said Eve Elf. After the machines problem was fixed there was another dangerous problem on their hands. They were flying through Ireland when his sleigh broke down on top of Tyler James and Brad James's house "Alicia, Steve, Jay get out here someone special you don't want to miss is here" said brad James "what's going on" said jay "ho, ho, ho" said Santa waving down. Everyone in the estate came out in shock "Santa" they said and everyone tried to climb on the roof. Then Santa explained everything Then everyone even reindeers, elves and Santa helped to fix the sleigh. It took 5 days but they fixed it. "Bye everyone and thanks for helping us fix our sleigh" said Santa "No problem thank you for our free presents that we even didn't ask for" said Brad James "No problem" said Santa. "Bye" and he left. One message to the world if Santa lands on your roof capture him he'll give u whatever you want every day and merry Christmas to people who read this story





The Demon Within II The Awakening

By Adam R.

As soon as I was about to die with Jared, I woke up from that nightmare. It was morning and nowadays I sit in my bedroom in the Mental Care Asylum, sometimes I throw tantrums and get mad about something personal and I end up in a straightjacket for the rest of the day. I've been in the Mental Care for almost three years now and I get used to it every day. Today a therapist is coming to see to give me a concentration test, I really don't want to do the test but I have to. Well, here goes nothing. "Good morning, Adam, I'm Dr Brewster", said the therapist in a polite voice. "I'm here to help you", he said again. "Are you going to do drug me and make me tell you stuff?" I asked in a quiet voice. "Well, yes, I am, but the drug will only hurt the slightest bit", answered Dr Brewster. Eventually, he brought me into a small room, we sat down, he took out his tape recorder and started asking me some questions to do with what really happened on October 1992. Soon, he took out a needle with some sort of liquid inside it, he injected it into me and he asked "Adam, why don't you relax on the couch and tell me what happened on Halloween 1992 and this is what really happened. On October 31st 1992, Jared and I were on our way to a party, our friend Jamie invited us to it. When we arrived, it was quiet, we knocked on the door but there wasn't an answer until Jared opened the door and walked in. Inside the house, there were old, dusty painting and furniture, Jared found a book, he opened it and suddenly, some kind of shadow slit Jared's throat. I shrieked, I ran to the front door and ran out into the woods and well, that's all I remember that night, nothing else. "Thank you, Adam, for telling me what really happened". Now you know what really happened and I'll be safe...for now.

2nd Eid (Big Eid)

The second Eid is called Baqarah Eid. This is the Eid where you give each other meat. As you know that the first Eid you get money and or presents but you celebrate this Eid differently. First you buy some animals, cow, sheep, lamb, chicken etc. You can play with it as a pet but on Eid you have to kill it. You might think it is sad but every animal that gets slaughtered on Eid, it goes to heaven. You give the meat to family, friends etc. Also, Eid lasts for three days. Sometimes you get money too, but you wouldn't get as much as you would on the first Eid. Also, you get to see your friends in the mosque. Basically the first Eid is like Christmas but the second one isn't much like it. Not at all really.

Champions league

By Jamie and Yakoub

This year the Champions League is better than ever so far many teams have made it through to the Knock out stages of the Champions League. The best teams of the world are going head to head against each other some teams are losing and some teams are winning. There has been some shocking results like Man City winning 3-2 against Bayern Munich it was an incredible match because Man City were losing 2-0 at half time. Then David Silva scored on attacking and it finally paid off when they could not believe their eyes, Man City just Bayern Munich had a late chance but it was Man City countered and James Milner scored. Bayern Munich Man City needed a 4-2 win over Bayern Munich but they won 3-2 so they came second in their group Bayern Munich and Man City qualified for the Champions League knock out stages and who knows Man City and Bayern Munich might meet again in the Champions League Final. Even though the Man United match wasn't as exciting as the Bayern Munich and Man City match. Man United still got a 1-0 win over Phil Jones. They have made it through to the knock out stages and are still unbeaten in the Champions League.



Colouring competition

MERRY CHRISTMAS



Name _____

Class _____

Teacher of the month

We're bringing in a new competition called teacher of the month. Here you can vote for your favourite teacher.

Remember

DON'T VOTE FOR YOUR OWN TEACHER!!

Name

Vote

Class

Don't forget to sent your entries to Mr McGowan's class